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MINISTRY OF LAW

(Legislative Department)

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THE ADVOCATES (AMENDMENT) ORDINANCE, 1966

No. 5 OF 1966

Promulgated by the President in the Seventeenth Year of the  
Republic of India.

An Ordinance further to amend the Advocates Act, 1961.

WHEREAS Parliament is not in session and the President is satisfied  
that circumstances exist which render it necessary for him to take  
immediate action ;

Now, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (1)  
of article 123 of the Constitution, the President is pleased to promul-  
gate the following Ordinance:—

1. (1) This Ordinance may be called the Advocates (Amendment)  
Ordinance, 1966.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

Short title  
and com-  
mencement.

Act 25 of  
1961 to be  
temporarily  
amended.

2. During the period of operation of this Ordinance, the Advocates Act, 1961 (hereinafter referred to as the principal Act), shall have effect subject to the amendments specified in this Ordinance.

Amendment  
of section 8.

3. For section 8 of the principal Act, the following section shall be, and shall be deemed always to have been, substituted, namely :—

Term of  
office of  
members of  
State Bar  
Council.

"8. (1) The term of office of an elected member of a State Bar Council (re-constituted on the expiry of the term of office of the elected members of the State Bar Council under section 54) shall be four years from the date of publication of the result of his election.

(2) An outgoing member shall continue in office until the publication of the result of the election of his successor."

Amendment  
of  
section 15.

4. In section 15 of the principal Act, clause (e) of sub-section (2) shall be, and shall be deemed always to have been, omitted.

Transitional  
provision.

5. Where before the commencement of this Ordinance any member of a State Bar Council has retired under section 8 of the principal Act, such member shall be deemed never to have retired and shall continue to hold office for a period of four years from the date of publication of the result of his election as a member of the State Bar Council (re-constituted on the expiry of the term of office of the elected members of the State Bar Council under section 54) and accordingly no act of the State Bar Council or any Committee thereof shall be called in question on the ground merely that such member having ceased to be a member of the State Bar Council on such retirement sat or voted or otherwise took part in the proceedings of the Council or the Committee thereof.

S. RADHAKRISHNAN,  
*President.*

S. P. SEN-VARMA,  
*Secy. to the Govt. of India.*